

A SOLDIER RELIEF PLAN UNDER WAY

HOUSE COMMITTEE TO BEGIN DRAFT OF MEASURE.

IN THE NATURE OF A BONUS

Funds for Carrying Out Its Provisions Will Be Raised by Tax on Luxuries.

Washington, D. C.—Soldier relief legislation with probable provision for a cash bonus, funds for which would be raised by sales or luxuries taxes was approved by the house ways and means committee by a vote of 15 to 6. Details of the bill to be recommended will be worked out by subcommittees yet to be announced.

Members of the committee hope to obtain final action by the house before the contemplated recess for the national political contentions, but they express doubt whether action by the senate could be had at this session. Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, republican leader, after a conference with other senate republicans as to future legislation in the senate, said he thought this would include a bill to give a money bonus to former service men, with provisions for a special tax to raise the necessary funds. The program approved by the house committee declares against any bond issue. It is understood to have been submitted by Representative Longworth, republican, of Ohio, and was discussed at great length in executive session.

While the exact form of the legislation was not decided upon, committee discussion was said to have indicated approval of a plan of extending vocational education as an alternative to the cash bonus. These two plans are a part of the American Legion's program. Its other selected plan of government aid to soldiers and sailors for building homes or obtaining ownership of farms was said by some members of the committee to involve too many difficulties to be worked out by legislation before the recess. Spokesmen for the committee said it was planned to have the final draft of the legislation ready for submission to the house within a fortnight. It was said that there had been no decision as to whether the bonus would be paid in a lump sum or graduated, according to the length of service of each individual.

The program is understood to have the approval of the republican leaders of the house, assuring early consideration for it.

Mrs. Tabor on Trial.
Paw Paw, Mich.—White faced and nervous, Mrs. Sarah Tabor sat in a justice of the peace's court and listened to witnesses tell her daughter, Maude Tabor Virgo, 45, met her death three years ago. The mother is charged with manslaughter in connection with her daughter's death. The hearing before Justice O. W. Rowland was to determine whether Mrs. Tabor should be tried before a jury. The state was expected to present all its evidence the first day.

Rail Wage Fight to Wilson.
Washington.—The whole railroad wage controversy was placed before President Wilson for the third time since railroad labor filed its demands for a general increase in wages last summer. In a letter to the president, B. M. Jewell, chairman of the railway committee which constitutes the labor party on the railroad wage board, said he regretted very much "to advise you of our failure to obtain any beneficial results from these conferences."

Mexico Planning New Government.
Agua Prieta, Sonora, Mexico.—A movement for a new United government in Mexico, to be launched by the more important rebel factions of the republic came to light here when half sheet posters appeared in the form of a proclamation signed by Francisco De LaBarra, former provisional president of Mexico.

Troops on Duty in Kentucky.
Mayfield, Ky.—A machine gun squad of the state national guard was on duty here following a report that a second attack was to be made on Mayfield tobacco chutes by night riders as a result of the recent decline in the price of tobacco.

Acquitted of Murder Charge.
Danville, Ill.—Fred Buehler, Mary H. Buehler and Sophia, their 24-year-old daughter, were found not guilty by a circuit court jury of the murder of Mrs. Sabina Cummings, of Hoopes-ton, Ill., the aged mother of Mrs. Buehler.

Coal Prices Go Up.
Chicago, Ill.—A general increase in retail coal prices will be passed on to the general public to pay for wage increases to miners, retail coal dealers of the middle west predicted. With the removal of federal regulation of coal prices coal operators announced increases immediately effective. Some retailers were still selling at the March prices, but this, they explained, was due to the fact that the new prices had not yet been received from the operators. Increases will range from 25 cents to \$1 a ton.

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Much Alike.

The stage manager was hurriedly giving instructions to his property man.

"Did you say you wanted a window or a widow, sir?" asked the latter, somewhat perplexed.

"I said window," he replied, and added, with a laugh, "but they're both much alike."

The property man scratched his head.

"Don't see how you make that out, sir."

"Well," replied the stage manager, "when I get near either of them I always look out!"

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Balked His Desire.

A gentleman and his wife were admiring some college buildings erected by wealthy alumni. Presently they came to a noble hall, over the main entrance of which was a tablet reading:

"Erected by John C. Black, as a memorial to his beloved wife."

"Oh," he said with a sigh, "that is what I should like to do for my college." And for the life of him he couldn't understand why his wife suddenly became cold to him.

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CORNHUSKER ITEMS

News of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points Throughout Nebraska.

OF INTEREST TO ALL READERS

LeRoy Ingham of Lyons took highest honors in the college and school of agriculture livestock judging contest at the university farm at Lincoln. He was rewarded with a cup. The ten high men judging all kinds of stock ranked as follows: LeRoy Ingham, Lyons; K. A. Clark, Craig; Paul Atchison, Cozad; Royal Schoen, Wells; Minn; Paul Taggart, Chambers; Edward Scheidt, Friend; L. E. Finney, Lincoln; A. K. Hepperly, Norfolk; Alvin Merrick, Osceola; Harold Hedges, Indianola. They were awarded with ribbons.

The Missouri Pacific's demand for 3 cents a mile passenger fare in Nebraska, whereas other lines only secured 2 cents a mile, before government control, has been upheld by Special Master Gaines, appointed by the government to decide the issue. This case has been in court for years, and involved hundreds of thousands of dollars. Refund slips issued by the road pending the ruling in the case are now worthless, unless a reversal follows in an appeals court.

Secretary of State Anshury announced that stickers cannot be legally used on ballots cast in Nebraska, after conferring with Attorney General Davis on the subject. Interest has been aroused in this matter by statements that friends of certain candidates expected to employ this method to place their names on the ballot since they had not made filings.

Pamphlets containing a list of 3,000 stolen automobiles on record January 1, 1920, have been distributed to all parts of the country by the state law enforcement division at Lincoln. Any sheriff, chief of police or town constable will be mailed one of the booklets upon application. Nebraska is the first state to undertake a move of this character.

When the time limit for submitting bids for the paving of twenty miles of Douglas county roads expired, not a single bid was received. A permanent injunction granted against part of the paving was given as a probable reason for the lack of bidding on this last project.

Charles W. Steinbaugh, Omaha architect, member of the Nebraska capitol committee says that the new \$5,000,000 structure to be built at Lincoln will be more serviceable, durable and beautiful than any such structure heretofore built in the United States.

The Nebraska supreme court has ruled that an automobile used for illegal transportation of liquor in the state can be confiscated and sold by state authorities, even though the machine is the property of a person other than the driver.

Another record price for downtown property in Omaha was established when Julius Orkin purchased the property and building occupied by A. Hospe and company at 1513 Douglas street, for \$300,000. This was approximately \$7,500 a front foot.

Census figures released the past week give Columbus a population of 5,410, an increase of 7.9 per cent over 1910; Hastings, 11,647, an increase of 24.7 for the same period, and Grand Island 13,990, an increase of 35.2.

The Lincoln Automobile club has started a campaign against certain farmers who have been charging exorbitant sums for helping autoists who have become stuck in the mud near their farms.

Florence Bennblossom, 12 years old, struck on the head by a gate blown shut while helping with the chores on a farm near Shelton during the wind storm March 28, died from her injuries.

Sixty farmers from Cozad appeared before the state railway commission and gave their views on the proposition to give the Cozad Irrigating Ditch Co. the right to raise their water rates.

Mrs. Galen Plants, of Geneva, sister of Raymond Hill, young farmer awaiting trial on the charge of the murder of his father, asked that a guardian be appointed for her accused brother, alleging that he is not of sound mind.

The district court of Lancaster county has issued a temporary order forbidding the Royal Highlanders, a Nebraska insurance fraternity, from putting into effect a new table of rates.

Bonds for \$30,000 for improvements to the county fair grounds at Sidney will be submitted to the people for approval at the April primaries.

Among the improvements planned at Albion this year are, 2,000 feet of additional sewerage, 8,000 feet of water mains, and 45 blocks of paving. O. W. Langley, who shot and killed Judge C. H. Pfeiffer of Cortland, was sentenced to the penitentiary for 21 years by Judge L. M. Pemberton in district court at Beatrice. A jury previously had returned a verdict of second degree murder.

Contract has been awarded for a new \$30,000 telephone exchange building at David City.

The Sidney Community association has appointed a committee to work with one appointed by the city council to establish a camping ground for tourists.

A movement is on foot in Omaha and Council Bluffs for a double-deck bridge to be constructed across the Missouri river that will be owned by both cities and operated free of cost to the public. The structure will cost about \$2,000,000.

It takes an editor of a country weekly to solve intricate problems such as the high cost of living, etc., the latest being a scheme originated by M. Wirt Hiatt, publisher of the Chambers Sun. In order to beat building material profiteers, he is going to build for himself a sod house, cemented inside and out and install therein his printing plant. The building will be 40 by 60 feet and the walls four feet thick, will be of prairie sod. After the walls have settled the building will be cemented inside and out and the veneer lined in imitation of masonry.

It costs the state an average of \$300 a month or \$3,000 a year to pay the publication of a monthly bulletin issued by Governor McKelvie and State Engineer Johnson, who are at the head of the state department of public works. This money comes out of the state highway fund. State Engineer Johnson says that since law requires him to report each month showing the condition of this fund, he decided he would make his report in the form of a monthly bulletin.

Constitutional convention officials are now counting the cost of the convention. It is evident that the total appropriation, \$116,000, set aside by the legislature of 1919 will be insufficient to pay all expenses incurred and some of the expenses which it is desired to incur in the way of "publicity." Under the latter head the officers of the convention hope to print about 300,000 pamphlets to mail to voters.

The Fremont city council headed a petition signed by 2,093 citizens against permitting theatres to operate on Sunday, and now the forces favoring the Sunday shows are preparing to circulate petitions to submit the initiative and referendum to the people for adoption as a part of the city law. If adopted, they say they will secure a popular vote on the theater question.

Unregistered liberty bonds totalling \$3,000 make up the loss in the robbery of the First National bank of Greenwood March 22, according to officials of the institution. Robbers obtained \$42,900 in registered bonds, not negotiable, and \$9,000 in war savings stamps, which cannot be cashed because the government has warned post-offices against them.

Rev. T. J. Mackey, for over fifty years a member of the Episcopal ministry, 28 of which were spent as head of the All Saints' parish at Omaha, died at his home in the Nebraska metropolis at the age of 76. He was one of the most widely known pastors in this state.

The University of Nebraska at Lincoln will offer a twelve weeks' course next summer, two terms of six weeks each. Registration for the first term will begin May 29 and class work on May 31; the second dates being July 10 and July 12.

A hotel company with twenty-five incorporators has been organized at Ord to finance the building of a \$200,000 hotel. A local company will erect the building, and lease it to an operator who will furnish and operate the hotel.

Nebraska's quota of the \$100,000,000 Northern Baptists of America plan to raise in an eight-day campaign starting April 25, has been placed at \$1,500,000, one third of which is allotted to Omaha.

The management of the Omaha-Lincoln-Beatrice interurban line has been buying considerable material recently for the Lincoln end of the road and it is said the firm intends to press efforts toward the completion of the line.

Laurel Post No. 54, of the American Legion, at Laurel, adopted resolutions declaring the non-partisan league "un-American and a menace to the best interests of this government."

Requesting that congress "take such steps as it deems necessary to bring about justice and humanity in Korea," a petition signed by 1,000 Nebraska citizens was sent to Senator Norris by Governor McKelvie.

The Lincoln Commercial club will send 22 delegates to the eighth national convention of the United States Chamber of Commerce in Atlantic City this month.

Conrad Sohl, 50, of Ashland, and Chas. Bullock, 55, bridge workers, were killed at Louisville when a Rock Island train ran into a motor carrying five men.

Wilson Tout, superintendent of North Platte schools for 13 consecutive years, has resigned to engage in a business venture.

The district conference of older boys of the northwest section held at Chadron, proved a pronounced success.

The Genoa-Albion road, which was built within four miles of Albion last fall, is now being completed.

All teachers in the Friend public schools have refused to sign contracts for next year without an increase in salaries. The school board has declared all positions vacant.

The state supreme court has ruled that the administrative code bill is still in force and operation and will so remain until it has issued its full mandate.

Miss Carolina Goehry, 23, of Lindsay, was found dead beside an overturned and badly wrecked automobile near Columbus. She was alone in the car when the accident occurred.

A Rotary club with twenty charter members was organized at Columbus the other day.

Census figures for Scottsbluff give the city a population of 6,912, an increase of 205.9 per cent over 1910. The record hung up by the best sugar town is unequalled by any city in Nebraska, it is believed.

A Voice From Sioux City, Iowa, says PE-RU-NA Worth Its Weight In Gold

You cannot mistake the words of Mr. W. W. Northrup, of 908 Fourth Street, Sioux City, Iowa. He is enthusiastic about his present health and the merits of PE-RU-NA and wants everyone to know it. Here is a recent letter from him:—



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Remember to Carry Cheer, Not Sympathy to Those Who Are Temporarily "Shut In."

Every one is called upon now and then to visit the sick room. Conditions surrounding the bedside visitations present a wide variation. There is one rule that holds good under all conditions, and that is to carry cheer and sunshine—not a long face, but a smile. If the patients are able talk to them of what is going on outside. Help them to forget themselves. A man who for over twenty years had been paralyzed, was visited by a friend who was profuse in expressing his sympathy and regret at the sick man's helplessness. As he was about to leave, the afflicted man said, "Come again, won't you, but when you do please forget to tell me that you are sorry for me as every one tells me that. I've heard it every day for twenty years. Help me to forget it. Bring me a breath of the outside world."

Flowers are always a gracious help in making the sickroom a place of cheer. A book or a magazine also helps.—Thrift Magazine.

Safe Bet.

She's clumsy and she's sloppy, and she occupies much space. And for these reasons we would like to bet name is "Grace."—Arkansas Thomas Cat.

Sew to Speak.

Surgeon (threading his needle)—Feel much like laughing, Houlihan? Victim (of an accident)—Save your funny stories, docthor—ye'll have me in stitches soon enough!—Buffalo Express.

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